

## Specials for Merchants' Week

A Special Item for Each and Every Day During Merchants' Week as follows:

SATURDAY, OCT. 21—We will offer 50 Mattresses in a very fine hair combination, rolled edge in plain or art tickings, regular price \$9.50—For This Day Only **\$4.25**

MONDAY, OCT. 23—Six dozen Dining Room Chairs, in quartered sawed oak, genuine leather slip seats either in brown or black, regular price \$3.00 each—For This Day Only **\$1.95 each**

TUESDAY, OCT. 24—One hundred Pictures and Frames, the pictures in very pretty subjects, pearl paintings, etchings, fruits, game, religious and beautiful scenes, the frames are gilt, Circassian walnut, mission and mahogany, regular price \$1.50, \$1.75 up to \$2.50—For This Day Only **98c**

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 25—Three hundred Hygienic Carpet Sweepers, regular price \$3.00—For This Day Only **98c**

THURSDAY, OCT. 26—One hundred National Springs, in all sizes, will fit any bed, wood or metal, regular price \$4.00—For This Day Only **\$2.75**

FRIDAY, OCT. 27—Five hundred rolls of Wall Paper, for kitchen, bedroom and parlor, beautiful designs, regular price 10c, 15c and 20c per roll—For This Day Only **7 1/2c roll**

SATURDAY, OCT. 28—Two hundred and fifty Pillows, sizes 22x28, in mixed feathers, art tickings, regular price \$2.50 per pair—For This Day Only **\$1.50 a pair**

N. B.—Big reductions on our entire stock of Furniture and Stoves during Merchants' Week. A good place to trade here.

## SCHWARTZ BROS.

"The Big Store with the Little Prices"

9-11-13 WATER STREET

## NORWICH TO HAVE PARADE

Sunday Schools of All Denominations Will Give Demonstration—Ten Schools Represented at Meeting Held in Y. M. C. A.—Ralph M. Timberlake Gave Talk on Recent Parade in New Haven.

Ten Sunday schools of this city were well represented at a meeting held in Y. M. C. A. hall, Friday evening, when it was decided to hold a Sunday school parade of all denominations in this city in the near future.

Edwin Hill, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and chairman of the committee, recently appointed at the New London County Sunday School Association, presided, and after a general discussion on the subject, was given power to select a committee of 10, taking in the various denominations, which will go ahead and work out the plans. The sentiment and feeling at

the meeting was highly in favor of the demonstration and the only fifth was the time, which was left in the hands of the committee which Secretary Hill will announce in a day or so.

Ralph M. Timberlake of New Haven, one who was influential in making the Sunday school parade held on Oct. 8 in New Haven a big success, was present at the meeting and told of the parade in New Haven. Mr. Timberlake recently gave an address at the New London County Sunday School association, in which he highly endorsed the Sunday school parade and demonstration.

### FUND RAISED FOR RETENTION OF BASE

Many Thousands Will be Expended by Government at the Navy Yard.

The fund for the retention of the submarine base through the leasing and closing of the Shay fertilizer plant has reached a total of \$16,145. This gratifying result is due to the public spirit of New London citizens, supplemented by most energetic efforts on the part of the committee. Early in the week the fund approximated the necessary \$16,000 and the committee felt justified in going ahead with arrangements for eliminating the rendering estate. They personally guaranteed the needed balance until additional expected subscriptions came in.

The campaign is now at an end and once again New London has given evidence of that new spirit of progress which will undoubtedly bring about important developments here in the next few years. Not only is the submarine base to stay, but many thousands of dollars are to be expended by the government for enlarging the plant.

### CONNECTICUT SPEAKERS

Take Part in Centennial Services of Bangor Theological Seminary.

(Special to The Bulletin.) Bangor, Me., Oct. 18.—The centennial services commemorating the close of 100 years of the history of Bangor Theological Seminary have been in progress here this week.

It is of interest to note that this institution is the second oldest theological seminary of the Congregational faith in the United States. It is the only Protestant theological school in the state of Maine.

Within its walls ministers of all denominations have been educated and prepared for the Christian ministry. In the elaborate exercises of the present week there have been included the following among other speakers of very brilliant quality:

Rev. Edwin Pond Parker, D. D., Hartford; Rev. George A. Gordon, D. D., Boston.

### Local Agents in Insurance Contest

The Connecticut agents of the Aetna Life Insurance Co. of Hartford have enlisted in a unique triangular contest.

The contest is a contest of the three offices in the city, which is a business in accident and health insurance in ten days, ending Oct. 25.

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### AUNT MIRANDA SEWING CLUB HOLDS MEETING

Members Were Guests of Miss Frieda Jahn on North Stonington Road.

The Aunt Miranda Sewing Club held their opening meeting of the season on Friday night at the home of Miss Frieda Jahn on the North Stonington road. The ladies spent the early part of the evening in fancy work, after which a social hour was held. Refreshments of fancy cake, cookies and cocoa were served by the hostess. The gathering adjourned at a late hour after spending a delightful evening. The club meets on next Thursday evening at the home of the Misses Lawson on Thames street.

### WEDDING.

Goodrich-Hays. Miss Sarah Minis Hays, daughter of Dr. I. Minis Hays of Philadelphia, and Rear Admiral Caspar Frederick Goodrich, Jr., S. S., retired, of Pomfret, were married Wednesday afternoon at St. James church, Philadelphia, by the Rev. John McElroy, assisted by Rev. Harry Ingersoll Meigs. Owing to the recent death of the bride's mother, no formal invitations were issued to the wedding, and only members of the two families were present. Rear Admiral Goodrich and his bride will occupy an apartment in Philadelphia for a few months, after which they will take a long sea voyage.

### Seniors to Give Dance to Football Team

At a meeting of the senior class of the Academy, held Friday afternoon, the following committee was elected to make arrangements for a dance to be given to the football squad: Raymond Burke, chairman; Bruce Rogers, Leonard Purvis, Alfred Henault, Misses Gertrude Comeau, Dorothy Wulf and Agnes Nelson. Principal Henry A. Tirrell presided at the meeting.

### Endorsed William J. Fitzgerald.

The county building trades Council met Friday evening and conducted a regular business meeting with all delegates in attendance. Irving Forbes, president, presided, and besides the routine business, George Ring was elected recording secretary.

### Attending Reunion in Worcester.

Comrade S. S. Stocking is in Worcester, Mass., today, attending the reunion of the fifteenth regiment, Massachusetts volunteers, of which he was commissary and quartermaster sergeant. It being the 50th anniversary of the association a large attendance is expected. The reunion will close with a banquet at the Bay State House, Worcester.

### Unclaimed Letters.

The list of unclaimed letters in the Norwich, Conn., post office for the week ending Oct. 21, 1916, is as follows: John P. Ball, J. G. Bliss, Walter Brown, R. H. Casey, L. P. Paul, Wm. Jones, Lizzie Johnson, Joseph Labelle, Dr. Wm. Speakman.

### Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Chappell of the Marion apartments, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Charlotte Waite, to Everett C. Stanton of Norwich, formerly of Sussex, N. J. No date has been set for the wedding.

### Won First and Second Prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Klinger of Groton attended the National Dairy Show at Springfield this week. Mr. Klinger won first and second prizes for Branford Farms butter, taking silver and bronze medals.

### Litter of 17 Pigs.

John Stapleton of Derry Hill has a sow which gave birth to a litter of 17 pigs which is considered a rare thing. From one of the other sows which had a litter of 14.

### New Electrical Sign.

An electrical sign with 30 lights has been placed on the front of the house which is attracting much attention. The sign was lighted Thursday evening for the first time.

## WINDOWS

## and SASH

This is the time of year

that you should begin thinking of replacing Windows and Sash that are beyond repair, with new ones to keep out the cold and storms of winter.

We can help you out with any size you want, either from our complete stock of regular sizes or by special order of odd sizes. Also STORM SASH that help save on your coal bills.

Do not put it off too late.

Buy early at

**Fred C. Crowell's**

87 Water Street

Open Saturday evenings until 8 o'clock.

### FATHERHOOD IN UNKNOWN AMERICA

Striking Picture of the Paternal Yearning of a White Kentucky Mountaineer.

(Special to The Bulletin.) Washington, D. C., Oct. 16.—The searching pathos of conditions in a small corner of what might be termed Unknown America is mirrored in a communication received by the National Geographic Magazine from Miss Ethel De Long, of the executive committee of the Pine Mountain Settlement School, Pine Mountain, Harlan Co., Kentucky. Striking indeed is this picture given by the correspondent in her simple yet supremely sympathetic recital of the paternal yearning of a white Kentucky mountaineer to obtain educational advantages for his motherless brood of seven.

A man just walked in from Big Creek, thirty miles away, to try to enter all of his seven children in our school. He would not leave only the older ones because as he said, "if I part 'em while they're little fellers, they won't have no feelin's fer each other when they're raised. I want 'em to take 'em all or none. Hit was my mammy's last wish that I keep 'em together. I'll jest do fer 'em myself the best I kin, if you can't take 'em all."

He brought with him an irresistible appeal, a word picture of the seven, and his tale of how he has "keered" for them. Thirty-four years old, worn, stooped, toothless, and with a gallant fight to raise his children, he mentioned the children's clothes. "I've made 'em all," he said. "I couldn't hire nobody to sew fer 'em, so I jest made 'em everything they wear myself. I've washed fer 'em, I've tended 'em, an' then I've gone out in the cornfield to work fer 'em. I've raised 'em as right as I know, but I can't do fer 'em lak I ought."

"I get right sick with the phthisis an' I've studied about what would happen to 'em if I was to be tuk from 'em. When I have to go away from 'em to earn a little money, hit's such a dread on me, les' they git burned up at night, 'sposin' the house should ketch fire, an' les' the fellers allus be sleepy-headed at layin'-down time. Sometimes I'm afeared to go home."

"Why didn't you marry again?" I asked, "so as to get help raisin' your children?" Tears came into his eyes. "Hit's best fer little younguns to hev jest one mammy, an' 'sposin' I'd thought to help 'em a-marryin' again, I might a got 'em in a mighty bad state."

"If we take the children, are you going to marry again?" said I. "No'm, I'm done with marryin'. I jest want my younguns raised right, whilst I'm a tryin' to make money fer 'em."

"You see, we don't want children whose parents want to get rid of them," said I "but ones whose parents want them to have a good chance."

"Yes," he said, "I know, that's the reason I want 'em here. You want younguns whose parents has got diligence and with innards to raise 'em toward humanity. Yes, I'll pay fer all I can make fer 'em, ef y'll jes raise 'em right. I've raised 'em to work fer me, an' I'll pay fer 'em."

## The Porteous & Mitchell Co.

## TODAY IS THE OPENING DAY of Merchants' Week

This is an important merchandise event and both our city and our out-of-town patrons are invited to take advantage of our Merchants' Week special offerings.

Our page advertisement in yesterday's Bulletin gave full particulars of the unusual values that we are offering on this occasion. Everything will be in readiness when the store opens at 8.15 this morning.

## LAST DAY OF THE SPECIAL SALE OF Kitchen Furnishings

Today will be the last day of the special sale of Kitchen Furnishings. Thrifty housewives, in large numbers, have visited this department during this week and we expect many more to come today.

Listen! This sale touches the needs of every home. It is your duty to yourself to see that you get your share of its benefits. Remember—the special sale of Kitchen Furnishings ends when the store closes tonight.

The Porteous & Mitchell Co.

was seven, an' I couldn't git much education. In my raisin'-up hit was one day in school and the next day out; one week in school an' the next week out. I want 'em to git a chance to make their livin's—to live an' not be bowed under lak I've been.

"No, they don't swar, ner cuss; an' they hain't got no mean ways when they're in my sight. I've brought 'em a recommendation from folks that met y'en when y'e come through Big Creek five or six years ago."

We were moved with compassion, although our annual pledges must be multiplied four-fold to care for the sixty children we already have, besides the seven "little fellers," from the "chump of a girl jes' going on five" to the fifteen-year old boy who has hoed corn all summer.

How could we resist those faces and the patient father who has done the best he "knowed"? We told him to bring them, all seven. An hour ago he started back on his long thirty miles to make the children ready.

Active Sick Man. Villa may be given to having one foot in the grave, but he doesn't seem to have much difficulty in pulling it out at the psychological moment.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

## THE CRANSTON COMPANY

A most cordial invitation is extended to our many friends in and out of the city to visit us during

## MERCHANTS' WEEK

We have a great collection of choice merchandise for your inspection.

For months we have been getting ready for the gift season and have assembled a stock that is sure to please you.

Fine China, Cut Glass, High-class Leather Goods, Rich Mahogany, Elegant Electric Lamps and quantities of Choice Gift Merchandise.

Our Kodak Department is the most complete of any in this section of New England and our manager will be pleased to give you professional advice on any photographic problem you wish solved.

Our Book Department has all the desirable new books as well as the standard works.

A great showing of Boys' and Girls' Books at 25c and 50c each.

A very attractive line of the Wallace Nutting Framed Colonial Prints just received. Also some beautiful specimens of the Fred Thompson line at 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

Special sale of Lamson Prints, originally sold for 75c, \$1.50 and \$2.50, while they last at 15c, 25c and 50c.

These are only a very few of the many specials we shall have for Merchants' Week.

Remember you are sure of a cordial welcome whether you buy or not.

**THE CRANSTON COMPANY**  
25-27-29 Broadway

### MANY LOCAL PEOPLE ENJOYING AUTUMNAL DAYS

Southeastern Connecticut Well Represented Along Rhode Island Shores and Among Country Nooks.

(Special to The Bulletin.) Providence, R. I., Oct. 20.—Quite a number of visitors from southeastern Connecticut, who have a fondness for the autumnal days, are taking advantage of the continued fall weather to spend a few days along Rhode Island shores and among its country nooks.

Miss Lizzie Hall of Norwich was one of the house guests of Mrs. John H. Vaughn at her home at Moose Neck last week.

Miss Sara and Gladys Cushing of Norwich assisted at the birthday celebration of their cousin, Miss Emma Gilmore of Potter avenue this city on Wednesday evening. They were joined with Miss Gilmore and later presided at pouring chocolate for the guests.

Mr. E. Lee of Jewett City spent last Wednesday with friends in Coventry and vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fenner of Norwich are spending a few days with relatives at Riverside.

Mrs. Walter Wood of East Killingly

was a week-end visitor last week with her father, John Tilghast at Natick.

Ray Love of Baltic was a recent visitor among friends in Providence.

Miss Eleanor Darling, of Norwich, spent the past week with relatives on Bridgman street, Providence.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank K. Noyes of Lebanon, with their daughter, have been enjoying the hospitality of friends in Thiverton during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. O'Connor and Miss Evangeline O'Connor of Norwich, are the guests of the former's brother, James O'Connor and family, in the Onestry section of this city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Apley and Mrs. Mae Joslin of Norwich, were the week-end guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. William R. Main, at their home, 12 William street, Westerly.

An automobile party from Norwich that took dinner at the Narragansett hotel this city on Tuesday last, included Mr. and Mrs. George Thurber and Miss Alice Thurber of Norwich, and their guests Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Young, Misses Clara and Gertrude Young and Mrs. Albert French of Philadelphia. Leaving this city the party made a tour of Cape Cod and thence to Boston and up into the White Mountains, on a ten days' trip.

### OVER A HUNDRED DOLLARS RAISED FOR GERMAN REFUGEE

Germania and Immergreen Lodges Realized \$110 From Recent Entertainment.

The entertainment held recently by Germania Lodge, No. 11, O. D. H. S. and Immergreen lodge, No. 12, sister lodge of Germania lodge, netted proceeds of \$110. The proceeds are to be used for German relief work, and a check for this amount has been sent to the Red Cross headquarters, New York, by the committee, August Hahn and Henry Leopold, who had charge of the entertainment. To date a total of \$1,100 has been raised for German relief by the Germania lodges here. This sum includes the amount raised at the concert given at the Davis theatre several months ago under the auspices of combined German societies of Norwich.

Talk on Military Courtesy. Captain William G. Tarbox of the Fifth Co., gave an interesting talk on military courtesy to members of the company at the regular drill held Friday night. Sergeant Britton, U. S. A., gave in instructions in skirmish drill. There was a good attendance.

Carpenters' Staging Breaks. Contractor John H. Swanson of 221 Vauxhall street, New London, and Mark Reynolds of Quebec street, a carpenter, were severely bruised Friday afternoon when a staging gave way on a cottage on Whitteley street.

Both men fell a distance of 20 feet to the ground. No bones were broken, but other injuries will incapacitate them from labor for several days.

Mystery Boat Here. Capt. Elias M. Margers of New London will take the H-4, the wireless controlled ship, invented by John Hays Hammond, Jr., when this port to Gloucester, as soon as the weather permits. The H-4, recently built at City Island, was forced into port Thursday by the weather. The services of Captain Margers were secured and he will take command when the weather permits the continuation of the trip.

## SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY

## Smoked Shoulders, lb. 15c

RIB ROAST BEEF, lb. 18c NATIVE VEAL to roast, lb. 16c  
FRESH PORK to roast, lb. 12c FRESH SHOULDERS, lb. 12c

LEAN POT ROAST, lb. 12 1/2c NATIVE VEAL to stew, lb. 12c  
SHOULDER STEAK, lb. 16c FRESH PORK CHOPS, lb. 18c  
NATIVE FOWL, lb. 23c PICKLED BEEF TONGUE, lb. 24c

Lean Salt Pork, lb. 15c Salt Ribs, lb. 5c Beef Liver, 3 lbs. 25c

Fine Granulated SUGAR, 12 lbs. \$1.00 Special Lamb Sale

PURE LARD lb. 18c Leg Spring Lamb, lb. 20c  
PINK SALMON can 10c Loin Spring Lamb, lb. 17c

BEST CHEESE lb. 23c Fores Spring Lamb lb 12 1/2c  
Loin Lamb Chops, lb. 25c

BLUE HEAD RICE lb. 6c  
SULTANA PEAS can 14c

Creamery BUTTER lb. 39c

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## Everything Ready

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## MERCHANTS' WEEK

We have marked our stock according to the week and have some very fine specials which will be well worth your while investigating. We have always made it a point to carry the highest quality in stock and have now the best the market affords in all kinds of HOUSE FURNISHINGS. Call and see what a dollar will do at this store.

## ESTATE OF M. HOURIGAN

62-66 Main Street Finn's Block  
Norwich Jewett City

A&P FLOUR 1/2 sack \$1.25  
COMPOUND lb. 16c  
CONTINENTAL SARDINES, can. 4c  
SULTANA CORN can 10c  
LENOX SOAP 9 cakes 25c  
Sultana Tomatoes No. 3 can. 12c  
EGGS 37c dozen